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For: INHIBITORS OF APOPTOSIS)	
PROTEINS AND NUCLEIC ACIDS AND)	
METHODS FOR MAKING AND)	
USING)	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.121

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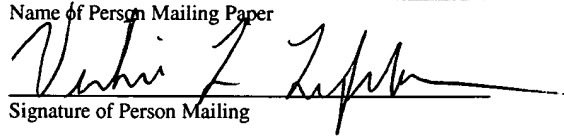
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